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1. SUMMARY. GDR JULY 10 PAID NATIONAL TRIBUTE TO CEMA ANNIVERSARY. SINDERMANN AND FADEEV SANG CUSTOMARY PRAISES TO ORGANIZATION'S VITALITY AND WORTH, ALTHOUGH THESE WERE IN PART SUBMERGED BY EMPHASIS ON GDR-SOVIET BILATERAL RELATIONSHIP. PICTURE CONVEYED BY EXTENSIVE AND PROMINENT ND COVERAGE OF EVENT, IS ONE OF GDR BEING A PRIME CONTRIBUTOR TO AND BENEFICIARY OF INTEGRATION PROCESS. END SUMMARY.

2. ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION IN EAST BERLIN CONGRESS HALL, JOINTLY SPONSORED BY SED CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COUNCIL OF STATE AND COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, FEATURED SINDERMANN, CHAIRMAN,
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GDR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, AND FADEEV, CEMA EXECUTIVE SECRETARY,

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AS MAIN SPEAKERS. BOTH PAID EFFUSIVE TRIBUTE TO CEMA. SINDERMANN EMPHASIZED PRIMACY OF SOVIET ROLE IN ORGANIZATION AND DWELT AT LENGTH ON GDR-SOVIET ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIP, NOTING THAT ONE THIRD OF SOVIET CEMENT OUTPUT IS PRODUCED BY EAST GERMAN-ORIGIN EQUIPMENT, THAT EVERY FOURTH SOVIET FISHING VESSEL IS CONSTRUCTED IN GDR,AND THAT 40,000 UNITS OF EAST GERMAN ROLLING STOCK WERE IN OPERATION IN USSR IN 1970. SOVIET DELIVERIES OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF TONS OF RAW STEEL, WHEAT AND OTHER GOODS AS WELL AS EQUIPMENT AND MANUFACTURES WERE TERMED DECISIVE FOR FORMATION OF GDR ECONOMY.

3. TURNING TO CEMA, SINDERMANN SAID NUMBEROUS PLANTS AND WHOLE INDUSTRIAL SECTORS -- CITED WERE NUCLEAR AND CONVENTIONAL POWER PLANTS, A COLD ROLLING MILL AND A TEXTILE PLANT -- HAD BEEN BUILT AS RESULT OF OR AFFECTED BY INTEGRATION PROCESS. SINDERMANN TERMED "RECIPROCAL, SYSTEMATIC INTERWEAVING OF ECONOMIES" AS CENTRAL TO INTEGRATION PROCESS AND NOTED THAT FIRST STAGE OF 1976-80 PLAN COORDINATION "WILL BE CONCLUDED THIS YEAR." HE RECITED SOFIA CEMA SUMMIT ACCOMPLISHMENTS (PARA 2, A-C REFTEL) BUT DID NOT MENTION "DECREE ON STANDARDIZATION." M O R E O V E R, I T CLEAR FROM SINDERMANN COMMENTS THAT LONG-RANGE -- THROUGH 1990 -- RAW MATERIALS, FUELS AND INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION PLANS REMAIN TO BE WORKED OUT. FADEEV PRAISED GDR'S "ACTIVE" ROLE IN 24 YEARS OF CEMA MEMBERSHIP, NOTING EAST GERMAN "INITIATIVES" IN FURTHERANCE OF AND "LARGE CONTRI-BUTIONS" TO PROCESS OF SOCIALIST ECONOMIC INTEGRATIONS.

4. COMMENT. GDR AHS BEEN ONE OF MOST LOYAL AND WILLING CEMA MEMBERS, CONVINCED THAT INTEGRATION PROCESS HAS SERVED IT WELL. LATEST MANIFESTATION OF EAST GERMAN ATTACHMENT TO CEMA MAKES CLEAR THAT GDR CONTINUES BELIEVE THAT FIDELITY TO CEMA MAKES SENSE IN THESE TIMES OF ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL UNCERTAINTY. FADEEV, IN HIS EAST BERLIN REMARKS, MAY HAVE SOUGHT TO PROVIDE CEMA (AND SOVIET) ASSURANCE THAT SUCH COMMITMENT WOULD NOT GO UNNOTICED.KLEIN

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